

SOME LIVELY WORDS FROM WASHINGTON

SENATOR BLANCHARD TALKS ON MONROE DOCTRINE.

Policy of the Administration Upheld by the Louisiana Statesman—Seed Distribution to be Continued—Nothing of Interest in the House During the Day.

Washington, Feb. 12.—In the senate Tuesday the long-pending resolution which has brought out much criticism of the secretary of agriculture was passed without division. The measure was amended so as to provide that the purchase and distribution of seeds shall proceed as heretofore.

M. Blanchard (dem., La.) was then recognized for a speech on the Monroe doctrine. He strongly commended the president for the reassertion, on an enlarged basis, of the Monroe doctrine, and advocated that it be given the sanction of legislative endorsement. He said the time had come for such a declaration by congress—broad, bold, comprehensive, not made in anger nor menacing, but firm. The senator's speech, while bold and firm, was in good temper, and evinced a spirit of kindred friendship and peace toward what he termed "our cis-Atlantic cousins."

Among other things, he said: "Shut out of participation in European policies, neither asking nor being invited to take part in the same, are we, too, to be deprived of the right to prescribe and dominate an American policy? On this point the people of the United States are especially sensitive. And it is not confined to any section or class of our people. It pervades all alike; it leaps over party lines and rises above party feeling. On the Atlantic seaboard, in the northwest, the caution of conservatism of capital and the fears of business disturbance may for a moment stay this feeling; but those who count upon this for the display of extreme forbearance on our part may find themselves greatly in error. Go ask the people of the great west and those of the revived and rapidly recuperating south, and they will tell you that the time has come for a broadening of the scope of the Monroe doctrine and for a much more enlarged application of it.

"Seventy-three years ago, when this doctrine was first proclaimed, the population of the United States was a little more than 9,000,000; from 9,000,000 of people we have multiplied to 70,000,000. From meager resources, we have plowed and planted, delved, mined and commenced and manufactured, builded and constructed our way to enormous aggregate wealth. We do not have to make a demonstration on land or sea to proclaim our power, to mark our readiness for war.

"This republic is not to act the big brother to each turbulent or revolutionary republic, or island, in the western hemisphere and convulse the world about matters of far less importance than many that arise in our own country. But it does behoove us to proclaim a distinctive American policy—a broad, comprehensive policy, that includes within its scope the three Americas—North, Central and South."

Mr. Allen (Pop., Neb.) replied briefly to Mr. Vest's criticisms on the secretary of agriculture. Mr. Allen contended that any unusual allowance of seeds made by the secretary to Nebraska was due to the drought there.

Mr. Wolcott of Colorado interrupted with the statement that the eastern belt of Colorado had suffered from this same drought, but the secretary of agriculture had declined to give the slightest help in the way of seeds.

A discussion of Secretary Carlisle's observance of civil-service methods came up on a provision of the deficiency bill for the appointment of twenty-five expert money counters.

Mr. Chandler sarcastically pointed out that the secretary's letter requesting the twenty-five counters asked that he be given the selection, as the civil-service commission was not able to furnish the class of counters required. It was thus discovered, said Mr. Chandler, that the civil-service commission had broken down, and was so feeble and dilapidated that it could not furnish money counters.

Mr. Lodge (Rep., Mass.) said there was no decrepitude in the civil-service commission. This request of the secretary was due to his desire to control the appointments.

Mr. Allen arraigned the civil-service system. It would in time turn over our government service to a lot of "cigarette-smoking dudes." The senator said the two frauds of the public service were the civil-service commission and the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Wolcott interjected a brief but somewhat sensational speech. He said the real menace to the country was the power of patronage lodged with the executive, and which had never before been used to such an extent as under the present administration. A free-coinage bill would have passed through the last house of representatives had not the power of patronage been brought to bear by the administration, especially the patronage controlled by the secretary of the treasury. Colorado was today flooded with appointments, many of them unfit ones, made by the secretary of the treasury for congressmen who had "ratted" on the silver bill. Thus constituencies had been de-

baunched. The best service that could be performed would be to deprive the president and his cabinet officers of the entire power of patronage, so that no longer senators and representatives would hang around the White House and cabinet officers begging for morsels of patronage.

At this point, the debate having diverged considerably from the appropriation bill, Mr. Hale yielded to an executive session, after which, at 5:35 p. m., the senate adjourned until today.

TRANSMITS CUBAN LETTERS.

President Cleveland Sends the Correspondence to the House.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The president Tuesday transmitted to the house such correspondence relative to Cuba as he deems not incompatible to the public interest. This was in response to a house resolution.

The documents begin with the president's proclamation of neutrality of June 17, 1895, and include correspondence regarding "the right of the consul-general to present remonstrances," "the progress of the insurrection," "protection and destruction of American property in Cuba," and the arrests of a number of persons. The letters of the secretary of state to Mr. De Lome, the Spanish minister, insisted upon the right of Mr. Williams, our consul-general at Havana, to protest against the action of General Campos in confining American citizens and otherwise transgressing on American rights. There is much correspondence also relative to each individual case of the arrest by the Spaniards of the men claiming to be American citizens. In discussing one of these cases Assistant Secretary Uhl, in a telegram to Vice-Consul Springer at Havana, says the treaty of 1795 excludes the exercise of military jurisdiction altogether and requires arrests to be made and offenses proceeded against by ordinary jurisdiction. The military arm, he said, has no judicial cognizance over our citizens at any stage.

IN THE HOUSE.

Little Interest Shown in the Discussions on the Bond Bill.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Under the arrangement made Monday, yesterday in the house was devoted to the consideration of business reported from the committee on the District of Columbia.

About 4 o'clock the debate on the bond bill was resumed. Concurrence was opposed by Messrs. Hill (rep., Conn.), Lacy (rep., Iowa), and Burton (rep., Mo.). Messrs. De Armond (dem., Mo.) and Ogden (dem., La.) spoke in its favor.

A recess was taken at 5:30 to 8 o'clock, the evening session to be devoted to debate.

There were only thirteen members present at the night session of the house. The speakers were: Harris (rep., Ohio), Stone (rep., Pa.), Brown (rep., Tenn.), Howe (rep., N. Y.), Fowler (rep., N. J.), in favor of non-concurrence in the senate free coinage substitute, and Otey (dem., Va.), and Baker (pop., Kan.), in favor of concurrence. At 10 o'clock p. m., the house recessed until 10:30 a. m. today.

Waller to Be Set Free.

Washington, Feb. 12.—Ambassador Eustis has been instructed to accept the offer of the French government to release ex-United States Consul Waller from further imprisonment and pardon his offense on condition that the affair be thereby terminated as between France and the United States, and that the latter make no claim in behalf of the prisoner based upon his arrest, conviction or imprisonment. Waller may, however, sue in the French courts for damages for ill-treatment. These facts, showing the amicable termination of the celebrated Waller incident, appear in the correspondence sent to both houses of congress by the President in answer to resolutions of inquiry upon the subject.

Elliot Is President of the L. A. W.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 12.—All the states which the league politicians have been fixing up with so much care for the last three days were smashed to bits yesterday by the election of Sterling Elliot of Massachusetts as president of the League of American Wheelmen and the selection of Louisville as the place for holding the next annual meet. The roster of officers was completed by the unanimous election of the following ticket: First vice president, Charles F. Cossum of New York; second vice president, A. C. Morrison of Wisconsin; treasurer, E. S. Hartwell of Colorado; auditing committee, J. F. Adams of Massachusetts, chairman; J. Van Norte of Pennsylvania and G. A. McCarthy of Colorado.

Peoria Gets Eastern Star Home.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 12.—The committee to locate the Illinois Masonic Eastern Star Home met here Tuesday to consider the propositions. The cities competing are Peoria, Lewiston, Pana, Avon, Decatur and Vienna. The committee was shown the sites and decided on Peoria as the location of the home. Work on the buildings will be commenced immediately, and the main structure will be ready for dedication by the annual opening of the Star here in October.

Foraker to Present McKinley's Name.

Springfield, Ohio, Feb. 12.—J. Frank McGrew, Governor Bushnell's son-in-law, stated last night that there was a movement on foot to have Foraker nominate McKinley at St. Louis. He added that Mr. Foraker had told friends he would accept the task.

QUEEN WANTS PEACE WITH UNCLE SAM

ADDRESS AT THE OPENING OF PARLIAMENT.

Relief Expressed That a Satisfactory Settlement of the Venezuelan Question Will be Made With the United States—Increase of the Navy is Called For.

London, Feb. 12.—The queen's speech, which was read previous to the opening of parliament Tuesday and in the customary manner, was as follows: "My Lords and Gentlemen: I continue to receive from other powers assurances of their friendly sentiments. The commissioners for the delimitation of the frontier which separates my Indian empire and the territory of Afghanistan from the dominions of the emperor of Russia have agreed upon a line which has been accepted by myself and the emperor.

"The government of the United States has expressed a wish to co-operate in terminating the differences which have existed for many years between my government and the republic of Venezuela upon the boundary of that country and my colony of British Guiana. I have expressed my sympathy, with the desire to come to an equitable arrangement, and I trust that further negotiations will lead to a satisfactory settlement.

"The sultan of Turkey has sanctioned the principal reforms in the government of the Armenian provinces of which, in conjunction with the emperor of Russia and the president of the French republic, I felt it my duty to press. I deeply regret that a fanatical outbreak upon the part of a section of the Turkish population has resulted in a series of massacres in those provinces which has caused the deepest indignation in this country.

"A sudden incursion into the South African republic by an armed force from territories under the control of the British South Africa company resulted in a deplorable collision with the burgher forces. My ministers, at the earliest possible moment, intervened to prohibit, through the high commissioner, this hostile action and to warn all my subjects throughout South Africa in taking part in aid of it. The president of the South African republic, acting in this matter with moderation and wisdom, agreed to place the prisoners in the hands of my high commissioner and I have undertaken to bring to trial the leaders of the expedition."

In the second message, or portion of the queen's speech, addressed to the house of commons, her majesty says: "The estimates have been prepared with the utmost regard for economy but the exigencies of the times require an increased expenditure."

In the third message the queen remarks: "The extension and improvement of the naval defenses of the empire is the most important subject to which your efforts can be directed and will doubtless occupy your most earnest attention."

The speech announces the approaching introduction of bills for the assistance of voluntary schools, providing compensation for injuries to workmen, to amend defects in the various Irish land acts, for the avoidance and settlement of trade disputes, to facilitate building light railways in the united kingdom, for checking the import of destitute aliens, to institute a board of husbandry in Ireland and for other minor purposes.

The Parnellite members of the Irish parliamentary party decided to introduce three amendments to the address in reply to the queen's speech, including home rule, political amnesty and local government reform.

At a meeting of the radical party of the house of commons it was decided to support the general principle of arbitration in any differences arising between Great Britain and the United States.

Speaking in the house of lords, ex-Prime Minister Rosebery said the Venezuelan difficulty was no new one, and they had all tried their hands at it. But now the intervention of the United States offered a guaranty of the permanence of any settlement that might be effected. He welcomed the movement on both sides of the Atlantic in favor of permanent arbitration.

Salisbury Gives Consent.

London, Feb. 12.—The Times publishes Ambassador Bayard's request of the British government for information on Venezuelan affairs, which was referred to by Mr. Balfour in his speech to the house of commons. The Times says editorially: "The speeches in both houses of parliament are a substantial proof of the earnest desire of the English people to maintain cordial relations with America." An editorial in the Standard expresses a similar view.

Held for the Double Murder.

Whiting, Ind., Feb. 12.—The inquest over the bodies of Emilie Szanjo and John Mutch, the victims of last Thursday's riot, was concluded Tuesday evening. Mrs. Maovitik was bound over to the next grand jury without bail to answer the charge of murder. Nicholas Kacik, who was arrested in South Chicago last night and who was mixed up in the riot, and Joseph Maovitik, the saloonkeeper, were also held on the same charge. They were placed in jail.

MORE TRAINS MEET IN DEADLY SHOCK

THREE MEN KILLED NEAR ROCHESTER.

Passenger and Freight Trains Meet Near Dongola—Accident Due to Mistake in Orders—Workmen Fall With a Defective Structure and Five are Hurt.

Rochester New York, Feb. 12.—A stock train of twenty-three cars and an extra freight ran into each other at Macedon Swamp this morning. Three men were killed and one fatally hurt.

Centralia, Ill., Feb. 12.—A disastrous railway collision occurred at the Cairo division of the Illinois Central at 6:47 Tuesday morning. It was a head-end crash between a north-bound passenger train and a south-bound stock train, which met on a sharp curve near the village of Wetaug and resulted in great loss of life and wholesale destruction of property. The killed are:

WILLIAM HUNTINGTON, engineer on the passenger.

GUS ANDERSON, his fireman.

FELIX ARMSTRONG, baggageman.

CURTIS E. ADAMS, fireman on the freight engine.

W. R. McLEAN, brakeman.

TWO UNKNOWN STOCKMEN, beneath the wreck.

The cause of the accident is due to the careless observance of orders on the part of the passenger crew, which left Wetaug at 6:45. The passenger train, in charge of Conductor Andy Odum and Engineer William Huntington, had orders to wait at Wetaug twenty minutes for the arrival of freight train No. 55. Upon arrival at Wetaug Conductor Odum saw two freight trains on the side-track and supposed one of them to be train No. 55, for which he had orders to wait. He made no inquiry, but proceeded with his train. About one-half mile south of Dongola, in a sharp curve, the collision occurred. The trains were going at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour when the two engines came together with a crash.

FELL WITHOUT WARNING.

Five Workmen Seriously Hurt by a Collapsing Bridge.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 12.—Three temporary spans of a new bridge erected across Tinker's Creek for the Akron, Bedford & Cleveland Electric railroad, ten miles south of this city, fell Tuesday afternoon, precipitating eight workmen into the creek, a distance of sixty-five feet.

The collapse of the structure came without warning, and not one of the men had a chance to escape. It is marvellous that all were not instantly killed. As it was, five were seriously hurt, one of them now lying in a dying condition at a hospital. The names of the victims are:

William Newman, Canton, arm crushed and left leg torn apart at the knee joint; head bruised and internally injured; cannot recover.

Charles Greib, Canton, seriously injured internally.

J. C. McMillan, Twinsburg, left foot crushed and badly hurt internally.

Charles McCarty, Canton, bruised.

James Freeman, Cleveland, ribs broken and side crushed.

The engineer in charge of the work is unable to account for the accident. The bridge was being constructed on the site of the one which fell under an electric car a short time since, fatally injuring two employees of the road.

SUIT TO BE BROUGHT.

Indiana Republicans Will Likely Test the Apportionment Law.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 12.—Nearly all the members of the republican state committee came in Tuesday night for the special meeting of the committee to consider the situation growing out of the decision of the Supreme court in the legislative apportionment case. A canvass of the committeemen shows that unless they change their minds before the meeting to-day they will vote to begin suit to set aside the apportionment act of 1885, and thus force the governor, as they believe, to call a special session of the legislature.

Chairman Gowdy said that he did not believe there was any question but that the committee would direct that suit be begun immediately. It probably will be brought before a republican judge in Clinton county. It is proposed to make all the election officers in all the counties parties to the suit, so that if the case should be delayed before the Supreme court the order of the lower court setting aside the act of 1885 shall be binding at election time against the officers in every county.

Y. M. C. A. Secretaries Summoned.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 12.—The board of directors of the National Association of General Secretaries of the Young Men's Christian association has decided to call the annual convention of the organization for this city, on June 5 to 9. Five hundred general secretaries, representing the United States and Canada, will attend.

Boy Out of Work Kills Himself.

Alton, Ill., Feb. 12.—Cory E. Sappington, aged 15 years, committed suicide at his mother's home, No. 619 Mechanic street. The only cause for the suicide is his despondency over not being able to find employment.

HANGED BY AN ILLINOIS MOB.

Sullivan, Ill., Feb. 12.—Grant Atterby, the assailant of his sister-in-law, Roxey Atterby, was hanged by a mob in the jail yard today.

HOLLINGSWORTH LET GO.

Police Say Her Story of Pearl Bryan Is False.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 12.—After doing more or less talking, Lulu May Hollingsworth, who has made herself notorious by her alleged knowledge of the Pearl Bryan murder, was released from police headquarters yesterday. Police Superintendent Colbert says that he is satisfied that the girl has been lying all the way through, and as the Cincinnati police say they do not want her, the Indianapolis police have no further use for her.

Greencastle, Ind., Feb. 12.—The commissioners were called together yesterday to take some action in the Bryan murder case. It is proposed to offer a reward of \$500 for the recovery of the head of the murdered girl, in the hope of stimulating the search for it. The body still awaits burial, and will not be taken from the vault until the case is finally disposed of.

Cincinnati, Feb. 12.—Not a step of progress was made Tuesday toward the solution of the Fort Thomas tragedy. It has been clearly established that Pearl Bryan put herself in the hands of Scott Jackson on Monday night, Jan. 27. Where the girl stayed on Monday night and Tuesday night, Jan. 27 and 28, is known beyond a doubt. Where she spent Wednesday and Thursday nights, Jan. 29 and 30, is still unknown. On Thursday forenoon and Friday night she was seen.

A Kentucky woman going home in her carriage late Friday night heard a woman's screams near Fort Thomas. Men in Covington and Newport, Ky., remember seeing a vehicle passing at an unusually late hour Friday night, driven at great speed.

FEARS CIVIL WAR.

Manitoba Will Bitterly Resist the Remedial Measure.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 12.—The introduction of the remedial bill in parliament has caused the wildest excitement in Manitoba, the province most directly interested by the passage of the measure. Seditious mutterings are heard and ominous threats are conveyed to the dominion government, that the bill upon its passage, or the endeavor to enforce it after its passage, will be bitterly resisted by the protestants of Manitoba.

The Greenway government openly announces that any attempt to coerce Manitoba into submission will bring on serious trouble. Rebellion is likely to follow, and a civil war is a possibility. The conservatives of Manitoba, fearing a race and creed war following the passage of the bill, which restores parochial schools to Roman Catholics, have gone so far as to warn the dominion government to consider the consequences of hasty action in the matter.

TO STOP THE FIGHT.

Arizona's Governor Orders State Militia to Be Ready.

Phoenix, Ariz., Feb. 12.—The governor and adjutant general Tuesday issued orders to the militia companies at Phoenix, Tempe, Mesa, Yuma and Tucson to hold themselves in readiness for immediate service. This action was caused by private advices that Dan Stuart intends to load his prize fighters and their spectators on the cars at El Paso and make a quick run into Arizona, where it is believed the fight can be pulled off near San Simon station without molestation. This would be less than four hours' running from El Paso and tents could be pitched and the big fight settled before the authorities could get to the ground. Governor Hughes is determined that the fight shall not occur on Arizona soil.

"Bat" Shea Executed.

Dannemora, N. Y., Feb. 12.—"Bat" Shea was killed at the prison at 9:58 Tuesday morning.

When Shea was conducted into the death chamber he started as he came in sight of the electrical chair, but said nothing. The straps were adjusted, the priests in low tones read the service of the dead. Shea then declared his innocence of the crime for which he suffered death.

While the priests read the first voltage was turned on. It was 9:50 when Shea entered the room and 9:58 when he was pronounced dead.

French Cabinet in Danger.

Paris, Feb. 12.—The senate Tuesday by a vote of 158 to 85 rejected the demand of M. Bourgeois, the premier, for a vote of confidence on the question of the Southern railway scandals. The senate then adopted a resolution deprecating the irregularities and demanding a searching inquiry. The cabinet met afterward and decided not to resign, but to endeavor to obtain a vote of confidence in the chamber on Thursday.

Thinks the Fight Will Take Place.

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 12.—Consul Buford, the American representative at Juarez, thinks the Fitzsimmons-Maher fight will take place. He so declared in an interview. What action he will take he declined to say, but admitted that he had received instructions as to what he was to do in the event that the pugilists attempted to meet in the ring.

POST OFFICE SAFE RENT AND ROBBED

SAFE BLOWERS GET \$160 FOR A NIGHT'S WORK.

Two Rivers Hotel Man Relieved of \$200 and Thinks For Two Days That the Whole Thing is a Practical Joke—He Has Stopped Laughing Now.

Markesan, Feb. 12.—The postoffice at Kingston, west of here, was robbed last night of sixty dollars in cash. The safe was demolished. The burglars also entered A. R. Sims' store and secured one hundred dollars in cash from the drawer.

Two Rivers, Feb. 12.—H. Kappleman, proprietor of the Wisconsin Hotel, was relieved of his pocket book, containing two hundred dollars, Sunday. He thought it was a practical joke until yesterday, when he found the empty purse in the yard. There is no clue to the perpetrator.

TO REDUCE EXPENSES.

Movement to Change the Constitution of Iowa.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 12.—Senator Kilburn of Adair is preparing a bill to amend the constitution of Iowa to do away with the holding of an election of state officers every year. At present one-half of the state officers are elected one year, and the other half the next. Several states have abandoned this old idea in the interest of economy.

The senate committee on public health decided to recommend the passage of the bill, by Cheshire of Polk, which had grown out of the numerous grave robberies in this vicinity. Senator Cheshire's bill seeks to increase the supply by increasing the class of dead bodies at the disposal of medical faculties. It provides that all bodies, unless claimed by relatives or by friends who are willing to pay burial expenses, must be turned over to the nearest medical college. Now, anybody can be claimed by a friend of the deceased.

The senate committee on woman suffrage decided to report favorably the passage of the woman suffrage amendment.

The Reed bill, providing for free text books, occupied the time of the house. It was resubmitted to the committee, with instructions that a substitute be drawn up providing for books to be loaned free to needy pupils.

CRIMES OF A CRAZED BARBER.

Shoots His Father-in-Law and Mother-in-Law and Himself.

Newton, Iowa, Feb. 12.—At noon Tuesday Charles Phares shot and killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. R. T. Smith, and shot his father-in-law, R. T. Smith. He then killed himself.

Phares was a barber by trade and had been out of work for some time. R. T. Smith is a jeweler and has lived here for about four years. He is dangerously wounded and it is feared he cannot recover. It is believed that Phares was crazy. Mrs. Phares was not present when the tragedy was enacted and is so prostrated that she can throw no light on her husband's conduct. At noon Phares entered his own home and shot his father-in-law, R. T. Smith, in the left side of the face, the bullet passing out at the right ear. He then turned the revolver on his mother-in-law, shooting her in the mouth. The bullet lodged in the brain and produced instant death. As soon as Phares had shot both his father-in-law and mother-in-law he went outside and shot himself through the left temple, dying instantly.

May Postpone Kentucky Election.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 12.—Exactly half the legislative session is gone and no senator has been chosen yet. The patience of some of the best men on both sides has been exhausted, and an end may be speedily put to the bootless struggle. For the past forty-eight hours five or six prominent democrats and the same number of republicans have been working upon a mutual agreement, the substance of which is that the signers agree to prevent any election at this session, and the democrats especially agree not to stand in the way of needed legislation. Unless some such agreement is perfected, or an election is had, several republicans are going to vote for the sine die adjournment next week.

Prof. Snyder Chosen.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 12.—The agricultural college board elected Prof. J. L. Snyder, of Allegheny, Pa., to be president of the college, to succeed President Gorton. The election was made on the first formal ballot by a vote of 6 to 1, after two or three informal ballots had been taken. Prof. Snyder will enter upon his duties at the beginning of the new school year. The board decided to place on the market, beginning Feb. 28, the Agricultural College lands in Cheboygan, Antrim, Missaukee, Otsego, Charlevoix, and Kalkaska counties. A larger cash payment will be required to stop the practice of stripping the land after a small payment down, and then abandoning it.

Ex-Slaves Want Pensions.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 12.—An organization of ex-slaves has been effected here by colored men, for the purpose of making a demand on congress for pensions. They will ask that all over 70 years of age shall get \$700 in cash, and \$15 per month thereafter; all over 50, \$600

GOOD TEMPLARS SIT IN VISITOR'S SEATS

MILTON JUNCTION LODGE'S
JANESVILLE TRIP.

Rev. Victor E. Southworth in P. of H. Hall Sunday Evening—Charles S. Boynton's Clothing Caught by a Buzz Saw in Emerald Grove and he Had a Narrow Escape.

Milton Junction, Feb. 11.—A load of I. O. G. T.'s went to Janesville Friday night, and helped install the officers of the lodge there. The Janesville people returned the compliment Tuesday night. Rev. Mr. Southworth, of All Souls church, Janesville, held a meeting in Patrons of Husbandry hall Sunday night. George Kelly left for his home in Minneapolis Monday. He went by way of Augusta to visit his brother Otis. Miss Richmond, of Lima, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Mills. Furness, of the C. O. D., mourns the loss of the five dollar bill which he had put up for a prize. Some sneak thief cut the window, and took it, box and all. Rev. Burroughs called at Will Vanlone's Sunday afternoon. Ira Humphrey, of Albion, was a caller on Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. E. S. Hall is home for a day or so from caring for her sick father. He seems no better. Mrs. Richard Bond is on the sick list with numerous others. Rev. Burdick was well enough to preach Saturday, although not to attend other service. George W. Coon is in Illinois this week establishing insurance agencies. Ed. Halston was quite ill Saturday. His wife returned from Walworth Sunday. Charles Clarke still remains at the bedside of his sick mother. The date of Dr. Stillman's concert is Monday evening, February 24. Undertaker Coon was called out to Johnston Tuesday morning by the death of Mrs. Dickinson. Robert Carr and wife of Edgerton, were in town Saturday. They are coming back here to live. Mrs. F. W. Coon and daughter Winifred called on relatives here Saturday. David Kelly and wife are entertaining relatives from out of town this week. Mr. Hency, Sunday school missionary, was in town Monday. He spent Sunday in Newville. Ed. McElron, mayor of Wausau, called on his old school friend, Ed. Coon, on his way through town Monday. He was on his way to Stoughton, his former home. Fred Williams of Oskaloosa, Iowa, who has been visiting his father here, returned to his home last week.

BOYNTON CAUGHT IN A BUZZ SAW
Narrow Escape From a Fatal Accident at Emerald Grove—Surprise Party.

Emerald Grove, Feb. 11.—Charles S. Boynton was caught in the gearing of a circular saw last week. Had it not been for a whip lash in his hip pocket the accident might have been serious. Fortunately a patch on his pantaloons will repair all damages. Dr. Pember spent last Friday at this place, making examination of those who intend establishing a camp of Modern Woodmen. Superintendent David Throne was a caller in this school district on Monday of this week. Miss Maggie Zimmerman, of Janesville, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Robt. W. Jones. The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boynton planned a most successful surprise party on them last Thursday evening. They stormed the home-stand and took possession about 7:30 in the evening. From then until about midnight the company enjoyed a most social time. Supper was served at 11 o'clock to about seventy and was a very bountiful spread. The younger members of the Kirkpatrick family entertained a company of their friends last Friday evening. The attendance at the Y. M. C. A. entertainment on Friday evening was small, owing no doubt to its not being generally known. The program was well rendered and worthy of a better attendance. The body of Miss Alice May Williams of Janesville, was interred in the village cemetery here last Thursday afternoon. Full cream cheese 12 cents at Gillies & Jones'. R. Palmer of Janesville, filed the pulp here on Sunday morning. Rev. Hammond being absent in Chicago.

Brief Bits From Fairfield.

Fairfield, Feb. 11.—Miss Ada Moore very pleasantly entertained a few lady friends to tea last Thursday evening. Mrs. David Dykeman gave a party for her Sunday School last Friday evening, and a merry one was spent by all. B. Conry and A. Thompson spent last Saturday at Fort Atkinson. Mr. and Mrs. Theron Cutter's baby was quite ill last week, but is better at present writing. On Friday evening of this week there will be a

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novelty social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Dykeman. Ladies please provide refreshments. A welcome is extended to all. Last week's marriage notice should have read Mr. Alec McKinney to Miss Lanie Cary of Allen Grove by Rev. B. T. White. Friends from this place extend congratulations.

Personals From Indian Ford.
Indian Ford, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Jackson has been entertaining the mumps for a short time. Mrs. Charles Hallet is on the sick list. Mrs. R. Call has been entertaining the grip for the past ten days. J. Savage, of Cooksville, was here last Friday to take his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Brown, home to stay Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Hallet were visiting relatives in Janesville, Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. George Brown, of Center, called on relatives and friends last Friday. Mrs. J. A. Stewart and two children of Edgerton, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, at this place. Mrs. E. H. Brown Sundayed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Savage near Cooksville. Mrs. D. N. Walworth and Mrs. Casson were very welcome callers on R. Call's people last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Ward have gone to Adams county for a short visit with relatives and friends. Monday snow storm bids fair to be the worst of the season the jolter happened to be out in it.

MANY CASES OF GRIP IN TOWN.

Doctors Estimate That Five Hundred Janesville People Have the Malady.

Doctors say the grip has Janesville at its mercy again, just as in the days of '92 when the Russian malady was the "very latest."

A doctor informed a Gazette man this morning that there were five hundred cases of grip in the city. In a number of cases entire families are confined to the house.

Druggists report brisk sales in grip remedies and they as well as the doctors are reaping the benefit.

ANOTHER LEAP YEAR PARTY AHEAD

Young Ladies Are Planning to Do the Honors in Concordia Hall.

The young ladies are doing their full share in the dance line this year. Another leap year party is on the tapis in the shape of a May party to be held in Concordia hall. The young ladies who have the affair in charge are daughters of the Concordia society members. They have been offered the free use of the hall and are guaranteed their expenses.

BARBERS TO DROP DELINQUENTS

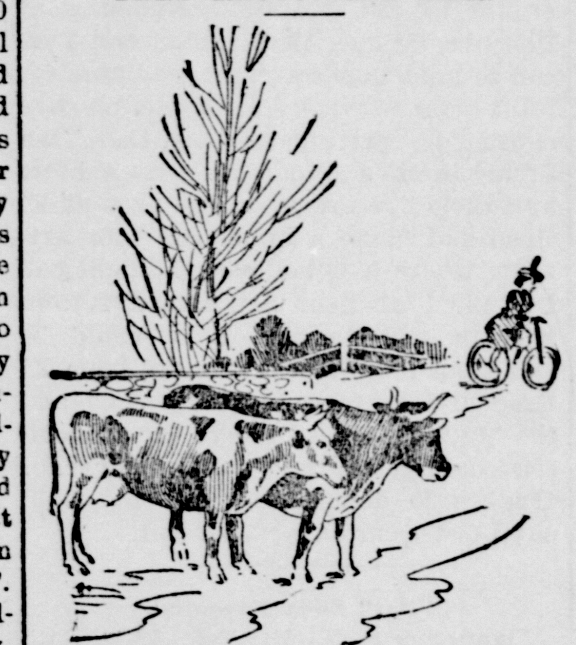
Rolls to Be Cleared of All Who Do Not Pay Up.

The local barbers union have decided to suspend all members who are not "up to date" on their dues. A private dancing party has been planned by the barbers' union for next week.

Why Advertisers Fail.
All the men who have failed in advertising here have been plungers. Instead of confining their advertising to one or two mediums of known circulation and value, they have taken space in all the daily papers and in nearly all of the various fake schemes daily presented.

Not So Difficult.
"Bear ye one another's burdens."
Good men teach in earnest tongue;
And the fact is we can help them;
Much more lightly than our own.
—Chicago Record.

THEY RECOGNIZED HER.



Two cows met a "bloomer girl" on a century spin.

"What sort of a creature is this?" said one. "It looks something like a man." "Nothing of the kind," said the second. "It's only one of those 'new women'."

"How do you know?" asked the first cow, curiously.

"Because she has crossed a field to avoid meeting us."—Chicago Record.

How Can They Be?

We used to say: "Ladies were handsomely gowned."
But now, it is rumored,
In society journals soon will be found:
"The ladies were charmingly bloomed."
—Philadelphia Record.

Her Extended Term.

Darley—How's your new hired girl getting along?

McBride—New hired girl! She's not new. We've had her five weeks.—Chicago Record.

On the Verge of a Miracle.

Willie Wilt—Do you know—aw—I am sometimes carried away by my thoughts?

Miss Perte—Please think now.—N. Y. Evening World.

By Telling It.

Badun—Why do you call me a liar?
Hothead—So as to set you a good example in the way of telling the truth.—Truth.

Same Thing.

"We don't speak any more."
"Did you have a falling out?"
"No; but our wives did."—Chicago Record.

WATSON FIGURING ON \$7000 OF BILLS

STREET COMMISSIONER MAKES
UP HIS REPORT.

Fourth Ward Has Been the Most Expensive, But the Most Expensive Single Street Has Been Fifth Avenue—Block Cross Walks Make a Big Item.

Street Commissioner J. H. Watson is making his report for last season's work. He will render an itemized bill for all the work and material charged against the different ward funds. That his management has been economical is shown by the balance left in each ward fund. In the Third ward alone where \$3,500 was appropriated over two-thirds of the appropriation is still on hand, while in the First ward fund \$675 is left from the \$2,500.

The greatest amount of work has been done in the Fourth ward, although the First ward comes in for ninety different jobs.

The most expensive street in the city has been Fifth avenue, in the Second ward. Since its grading new cross walks and tile culverts have been placed nearly its entire length.

The greatest expense during the year has been for walks, of which eighty are listed at an expense of from eighteen dollars to twenty dollars each.

Commissioner Watson figures that work during the past summer for the entire city amounted to between seven and eight thousand dollars.

FARM INSTITUTE IN CLINTON.

Valuable Papers Will Be Presented During the Two Days' Session.

Rock county men will take part in the Clinton farm institute, February 18, 19. The programme as officially announced is as follows:

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION, 10 O'CLOCK.

Rotation of Crops.....H. C. Taylor

Thilage.....J. M. True

AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30 O'CLOCK.

Potatoes.....C. E. Chapman

The Sheep.....Superintendent George McKerron

Poultry.....C. E. Chapman

EVENING SESSION 7:30 O'CLOCK.

Agricultural Education, Sup't. Geo. McKerron

Music, Recitations, Essays, Etc.....Local Talent

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION, 9:30 O'CLOCK.

The Horse.....J. M. True

The Cow.....H. C. Taylor

Feeds and Feeding.....J. M. True

AFTERNOON SESSION 1:30 O'CLOCK.

Milk Test.....H. C. Taylor

Fruits.....C. E. Tobey

Roads.....J. M. True

WAS A SUCCESS

Young Ladies of St. Patrick's Church Show Themselves Accomplished Entertainers.

A very enjoyable party was that given by the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Patrick's church in Union Catholic League hall. Nearly seventy-five couples were present, the music was excellent, the supper of a sort to tempt anchorites. It was long after midnight when the party broke up and the Young Ladies' Sodality received many compliments on the faultless manner in which the details were carried out.

M'LEAN SAYS EL PASO IS BAD

Crowd of Prize Ring People Make the Texas Town a Tough Place.

A letter from R. W. McLean who is now in El Paso, Texas, states that the town is over run with cheap broken down sports. El Paso is attracting about as much attention as any city in the Union on account of its prize fighting outlook, and Mr. McLean says that most of the talent who are hanging around waiting for the fight to come off are dead broke. A man who gives evidence of having a dollar is likely to be slugged and held up any night.

THIRD WARD HUNTING IS GOOD

Guy Stoller Gets Owl Meat Enough For Some People's Supper.

Guy Stoller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Stoller, of Milwaukee avenue, says owl shooting in the city is far ahead of bagging hawks. A large owl recently lit in Mr. Stoller's yard and the boy got a gun and followed the bird across lots until he finally shot him on Milton avenue. The bird measured over three feet from tip to tip and is now being mounted.

Mardi Gras Rates.

On account of the Mardi Gras at New Orleans, La., and Mobile, Ala., the northwestern line will, from February 10 to 16, inclusive, sell excursion tickets at very low rates; good for return passage until March 14, 1896. For tickets and full information apply to ticket agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

An Opportunity.

In the special 17 cent towel sale, we offer an opportunity of buying towels of twice the value for little money. Ladies should not fail to attend this sale. There are only 50 dozen of them and they will go quickly. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A Cold Cure For Ten Cents.

Three little tablets, each a separate prescription that together will cure a cold in one night. "Cold Crackers" are for sale at all druggists. Perfectly harmless. Certain to cure.

How to Do It.

Have your advertisements well written, well displayed, diversified in style, frequently changed, and it will be about as interesting as the news matter on the editorial pages.

They Are Good.

That Badger range for \$10; that Majestic range for \$20; that Garland range for \$18, all in excellent repair. Lowell Hardware Co.

Towel bargains at Bort, Bailey & Co.

S. L. KEMMERER'S STORE MOVED

From Janesville the Dry Goods Stock Went to Hanover.

S. L. Kemmerer, who came from Independence, Iowa, and opened a dry goods store at 13 North Main street, early in December has moved to Hanover, where he will open up a store and also run a coal and lumber yard.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

SEVENTEEN towels at Bort Bailey & Co.

HEATING stoves at cost. Lowell's Annex.

GET a chamber set at cost. F. S. Winslow.

BARGAINS in stoves at Lowell Hardware Co.

A BEAUTIFUL set of dishes at exact cost. F. S. Winslow.

GET a heating stove at cost. Lowell Hardware Company.

GET a pair of shces at your own price. F. S. Winslow.

SPECIAL bargain day every day, at the old Annex. F. S. Winslow.

FIFTY dozen towels 17 cents each. Bort, Bailey & Co's special sale.

TUMBLERS 18 and 22 cents a dozen at the old Annex. F. S. Winslow.

SWEET Moments cigarettes are the best. Try a package. Sold by all dealers.

Don't forget this is the day commencing the special sale of all winter goods at T. P. Burns'.

DISHES, chamber sets and lamps at cost; some beautiful things in these lines. F. S. Winslow.

This is good stove weather. You buy a heating stove at wholesale cost at Lowell Hardware Co's.

You need a stove more now than at any time of the year. Get one at cost. Lowell Hardware Co.

PLEASANT to walk with—pretty to talk with, are the girls who wear Brown Bros. & Lincoln's shoes.

EVERYTHING in the stock goes at cost, actual cost, remember that; the lot must be closed out. F. S. Winslow.

The people want them. We are selling them—the latest styles in ladies and gents shoes. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

FAKE sales, cost sales, below cost sales, and all kinds of sales are knocked galley west at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's.

We must have money. We are hard up. We cannot sell our 'tatooes, so must sell our shoes. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

We are in the shoe business to stay; we warrant any shoe; if they rip we will sew them up free of charge. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

You can buy damask and hand towels worth double the amount for 17 cents at Bort, Bailey & Co's. special towel sale. See large ad.

On the war path—well, I should say we are. We have knocked out every one on rubbers and now look out for us on shoes. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

We show the largest variety in exclusive designs of colored wash dress goods ever brought to the city. This is no sham and is easily proven. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE A. O. U. W. will give one of their series of parties Wednesday evening, February 12, at Liberty hall. All A. O. U. W. members are cordially invited to attend with family friends.

If you wish to save money on winter garments in fact purchase them at a bargain at a quarter of their cost, don't fail to see T. P. Burns. He is selling cloaks very cheap.

It's mighty hard to be so hard up that one has to sell his shoes to buy the baby clothes. Such being the case we offer our shoes at mighty low prices. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

KNOWLEDGE. Sam Johnson rightly says the foundation of knowledge must be laid in reading; and Howard aptly adds: But it's only by using one's knowledge that real success is achieved. Therefore use your own knowledge. Go to Brown Bros' & Lincoln's for your footwear.

OLIVE Branch Lodge No. 36, A. O. U. W., will give a dance and social at Liberty hall Wednesday evening, February 12. All members of the order and their families are invited to be present. Invited friends will be welcome.

THE Married and Young Ladies Sodality of St. Mary's church, will give one of their popular suppers at the Catholic League hall on Wednesday, February 12th. The object of the supper is to raise money for a charitable purpose. The ladies have demonstrated their ability to serve most elaborate and appetizing suppers in the past and this will be no exception. Supper from 5 to 8. Tickets 25 cents.

Awarded

Highest Honors—World's Fair.

PRICE'S

CREAM

BAKING

POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

J.M. BOSTWICK
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THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26,
S. MAIN ST.,
JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP.

Golden Opportunities...

...Why Let Them Pass?

Winter Garments--

All Wool Winter Garments At Just Half Price.

Dress Goods--

We have decided to continue the sale of the three great lots of Dress Goods, at 25c, 33c and 59c, for one week more, at the end of which time all that remain unsold will go back to their real value. Don't blame us now, if you wait too long, we have given you fair warning.

New Goods arriving almost every day...

MYERS GRAND
Wm. H. Stoddard
LESSEE & MANAGER

Thursday, February 13th.
"Cannot Fail to Conquer."—Chicago Tribune.
JAMES A. HERNE'S
BEAUTIFUL PLAY
SHORE ACRES
Presented with entire new scenery and Novel Mechanical Effects and properties. Its Record: 33 nights in New York City; 135 nights in Boston. PRICES—First Floor, \$1.00, First Four Rows in Balcony, 75c; Balance Balcony, 50c; Gallery, 25c. Sale opens Wednesday, 2 p. m.

To Piano Buyers:

I propose to sell you Fianco cheaper than you can buy them in Chicago. I buy direct from manufacturers, and am under less expense in business, therefore am enabled to sell at the lowest possible figure. I handle the celebrated Reed & Son's Piano that is equal in merit to any piano in the country. Mr. Reed has been a piano-maker from boyhood and in his experience has been enabled to place a high grade instrument before the public at a moderate price. The Reed Piano will speak to you in more powerful tones than anything we can say, and why should it not, experience is the greatest of all teachers.

H. F. NOTT, 57 W. Milwaukee St.

A Chicago

Packing House Market...

is Tony's at 29 N. Main St. Prices are lower than any shop in the city on meats, and stock comes fresh almost daily, high grade quality.

THESE ARE EVERY DAY PRICES:

30 pounds meat for - - - \$1.00
Shoulder Steak per lb. - - - 7c
Best Shoulder Roast per lb. - - - 7c
Pot. Roast per lb. - - - 6c
Corn Beef, per lb. - - - 3 to 7c
Roast Pork, per lb. - - - 10c
Pork Steak, 3 lbs. for - - - 25c
Leg Mutton, Mutton chops lb. 10c
Salt Pork, per lb. - - - 8c
Lard, 3 lbs. for - - - 25c

OTHER MEATS IN PROPORTION

Remember

We are always at the old stand, 353 South Academy Street, with an entirely new and fresh stock of Groceries which we will sell at prices to suit the times. We always have a plenty of strictly fresh eggs, good butter and vegetables, best pig pork and fruit. Our syrups and molasses are the best. Yours truly,

ROBERTS & RAFA.

GOODS AT HARD TIMES PRICES:

We are now ready at the old stand, 58 1/2 South Main street, with an entirely new and fresh stock of Groceries which we will sell at prices to suit the times. We always have a plenty of strictly fresh eggs, good butter and vegetables, best pig pork and fruit. Our syrups and molasses are the best. Yours truly,

ROBERTS & RAFA.

Grille Work.

Mouldings, hard and soft wood finish, scroll sawing and wood turning.

J. B. Green,

Proprietor of Phoenix Planing Mill on acre in rear of P. O., Janesville Wis.

INMAN AND BOLLARD



ALL KINDS OF ARCHITECTURAL, CABINET and DECORATIVE GRILLE WORK. WOOD WORK. 4 N. RIVER ST. JANESVILLE, WIS.

They Are Marked This Way



The genuine interlined collars and cuffs with a "Celluloid" surface, and the only water-proof collars and cuffs worth buying.



They are worth buying, because they wear six times longer than linen, keep clean longer, and when soiled, you can clean them yourself.



You can clean them yourself with a wet cloth—as easily and quickly as you can wash your hands—whether at home or abroad.



At home or abroad, you'll find them more comfortable, more convenient and more economical than any other collars and cuffs made.



THE CELLULOID COMPANY, NEW YORK. CAPOLIO is the best cleanser for these goods.

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

DOES YOUR BOY KNOW ALL THIS

If He Doesn't the School Ought to Do Something for Him.

Superintendent Mayne's endorsement probably could be had for this declaration:

Don't be satisfied with your boy's education or allow him to handle a Latin or Greek book until you are sure that he can.

Write a good legible hand. Spell all the words he knows how to use.

Speak and write good English. Write a good social letter.

Add a column of figures rapidly. Make out an ordinary account.

Deduct 16 1-2 per cent from the face of it.

Receipt it when paid.

Write an ordinary receipt.

Write an advertisement for the local paper.

Write an ordinary promissory note.

Reckon the interest or discount on it for days, months or years.

Draw an ordinary bank check.

Take it to the proper place in a bank to get the cash.

Make neat and correct entries in day book and ledger.

Tell the number of yards of carpet required for your parlor.

Measure a pile of lumber in your shed.

Tell the number of bushels of wheat in your largest bin, and the value at current rates.

Tell something about the great authors and statesmen of the present day.

If he can do all this, and more, it is likely he has sufficient education to make his own way in the world.

If you have more time and money to spend upon him, all well and good—give him higher English, give him literature, give him mathematics, give him science, and if he is very anxious about it give him Latin and Greek, or whatever the course he intends pursuing in life demands.

LAST MEETING WITH BLAINE.

Murat Halstead Speaks of the Statesman When Last He Saw Him.

When Mr. Blaine was for the last time in New York on his way to Washington, stopping as was his habit at the Fifth Avenue hotel, he asked me to walk with him to his room, fronting on 23d street, on the parlor floor; and he slowly, as if it were a task, unlocked the door," says Murat Halstead in McClure's Magazine. There was a sparkle of autumnal crispness in the air, and he had a fire that glittered and threw shadows about fitfully. There was not much to say. It was plain that Mr. Blaine was fading, that he had within a few weeks faded fast. His great, bright eyes were greater than ever. His face was awfully white; not that brainy pallor that was so familiar—something else. He seated himself in the light of the fire, on an easy chair. There was a knock on his door and a servant handed him a card, and he said "No," and we were alone. I could not think of a word of consolation, and in a moment he appeared to have forgotten me and stared in a fixed, rapt dream at the flickering flame in the grate. It occurred to me to get up and go away quietly, as conversation was impossible—for there was too much to say. It came to me that I ought not to leave him alone. Something in him reminded me of the mystical phrases of the transcendent paragraph of his oration on Garfield, picturing the death of the second martyred president, by the ocean, while far off white ships touched the sea and sky, and the fevered face of the dying man felt "the breath of the eternal morning."

Some weeks earlier Mr. Blaine and I had had a deep talk about men and things, and he was very kind, and his boundless generosity of nature never revealed itself with a greater or sadder charm. He now remembered that conversation—as a word disclosed—and said: "I could have endured all things if my boys had not died." The door opened and his secretary walked in—and I took Mr. Blaine's hand for the last time, saying "Good-night," and he said, with a look that meant farewell—"Good-by."

Home-seekers Excursions to the South

On February 11 and March 10, 1896, the Northwestern Line will sell excursion tickets at very low rates to a large number of points in Virginia, Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth

Secure and use the old and well-tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

CATARH

is a Local Disease

and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes. It can be cured by a pleasant remedy which is applied directly into the nostrils. Being quickly absorbed it gives relief at once.

Ely's Cream Balm

is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Croup and Hoarseness. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, allays pain and inflammation, soothes the throat, protects the membrane from colds, restores the senses of taste and smell. Price 50c at Druggists or by mail.

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TELEPHONE OFFICE RANKS HIGH

Janeville Has One of the Best Exchanges in the State.

The regular quarterly inspection of the local telephone exchange was made yesterday afternoon and the exchange was pronounced in good condition. The amount of money that the Wisconsin Telephone Company has placed in the Janeville office makes it second to no small office in the state.

A CURIOUS ANTAGONISM.

Two Brothers Quarrel, and, as Usual, There Is a Woman in It.

"The queerest feud I ever heard of," said M. C. Allen, the well-known sportsman, "is one that I encountered while camping and hunting in southern Humboldt county a short time ago. I noticed that our guide carried a repeating rifle, a big revolver and a knife half as long as his leg. He proceeded along the mountain trails with the greatest caution, and appeared to be on guard continually. I knew there were no hostile Indians in that country, and my curiosity was aroused. Finally, after he had stopped the pack mules for the twentieth time to creep ahead and peer around a point of rocks to gaze off across the canyon at the opposite hillsides, I asked him what the trouble was.

"Oh, I yooost look out for some fellow," he replied, in his Swedish dialect.

"What's the trouble, anyway?" I inquired.

"Oh, nuttin' much. Maybe a pig man mit a goon watch me pretty close, too."

"Who is he?"

"Oh, he is my brudder. Las' time I fix him plenty, you bet. He come back now, und maybe he fix me."

"Inquiry developed the fact that the brothers had settled in Humboldt county some years ago, and our guide, who was married, had left a pretty sister-in-law in Sweden. The brothers talked the matter over, and finally agreed that the married one should send for the girl, and when she reached this country he would give his old wife to his brother and take his sister-in-law.

"The girl arrived in due time, but she was so much prettier than the unmarried brother had expected that he was loth to accept his brother's cast-off wife. Finally he married the girl, and then refused to compromise the breach of contract by paying what his brother had expended in getting her to this coast. A quarrel followed and the guide plunked the brother in the shoulder with a rifle ball and landed him in the hospital for three months. The other vowed vengeance, and they do little now but watch the mountain trails, fully prepared to renew hostilities at a second's notice."—San Francisco Post.

HOW DOGS ARE DWARFED.

Taken Away from Their Mothers and Bred to Lilliputian Size.

In an article concerning dogs the New York World says that specialists and doctors who take an interest in the progress of alcoholism, its injurious action on generation, and the part it plays in degeneracy, will be glad to add another branch to their study in the shape of the falsification of dogs. For falsification of dogs exists in Paris and thrives, just as well as the imitators of Japan ware, old furniture, and pictures of Corot, Teniers, and Rubens. It was generally supposed that the animal regime had not yet been tampered with, so that most persons will be surprised that the French have recently discovered a method of producing tiny dogs, which, when offered for sale on the boulevards or in the Bois de Boulogne, fetch good prices on account of their rarity. Like all other callings, competition is about to cut down the profits of the originators of the idea, and next summer visitors are promised any number of lilliputian dogs at an insignificant price.

This is how the diminutive animal is produced: Snatched from its mother's breast when it is but a few hours old, it is put on alcoholic diet instead of a lacteal diet. When it reaches a certain age alcohol under different form constitutes almost the sole diet of the animal. The young dogs do not die, but, what is far more important, they do not develop and appear to be wasting away continually. They soon cease to grow entirely. By coupling these products the lilliputian animal is obtained after two or three generations. Doctors agree this is a terrible lesson for drunkards and abstemious consumers!

WANTED.

WANTED Place to work mornings, evenings and Saturdays, for my board. Address "Student," Box 1003 Janeville, P. O.

WANTED—A competent and trustworthy girl for general housework. Inquire at rooms 9 and 10, Laddin's block.

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Black mittens. Finder please return to Gazette.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One horse delivery wagon nearly new. O. C. Alworth, 209 Pearl St.

FOR SALE—Home-land of the late N. P. Egan on Washington street, 64 acres, also 3 acres adjoining. Apply to L. C. Bump.

FOR SALE—Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

HOW to become lawful physicians; course by mail. Address S. H. Health University Chicago.

STRAYED—Into the Edward Eugene place on E. 10th avenue, a white horse with halter, owner may have same by proving property and paying for the notice.

AN ENHANCE to any side line sample case containing 30 articles free, suitable for any business, easy selling, big commission. I. N. S. S. Co., New York.

TO LOAN—Whitehead, Matheson & M. Smith.

Excursion Rates.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell home seekers' tickets at excursion rates January 14 and 28, February 11 and March 10. Return may be made January 17, 31, 34, 28, 31; February 4, 7, 11 and 14. The above dates apply to tickets sold on January 14. Other return dates will extend to April 10. Tickets sold to points in Southern States and Arizona. Rate to be one fare plus \$2 for round trip.

Granite Iron Ware.

This kind of kitchen ware is by far the best for all around purposes. We have a most complete line of it at way down prices. Lowell Hardware Co.

THERE are always two sides in the shoe business; we are on the inside. Brown Bros. & Lincoln

GRATIFYING RESULTS.

Interesting Experiments with the New Stomach Remedy.

Not a Patent Medicine, But a Safe Cure for All Forms of Indigestion.

The results of recent investigation, have established, beyond question, the great value of the new preparation for indigestion and stomach troubles; it is composed of the digestive acids, pepsin, bismuth, Golden Seal and similar stomachics, prepared in the form of 20 grain lozenges, pleasant to the taste, convenient to carry when traveling, harmless to the most delicate stomach, and probably the safest, most effectual cure yet discovered for indigestion, sour stomach, loss of appetite and flesh, nausea, sick headaches, palpitation of heart, and the many symptoms arising from imperfect digestion of food. They cure because they cause the food to be promptly and thoroughly digested before it has time to sour, ferment and poison the blood and nervous system.

Judge Frank Ives, of District Court of Crookston, Minn., says: "For some time I have used Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets with seeming great benefit, with few exceptions, I have not been so free from indigestion in twenty-five years."

Geo. W. Roosevelt, U. S. Consul to Brussels, Belgium: "Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, safe, pleasant to take, convenient to carry, give keen appetite, perfect digestion."

Mr. W. D. Tomlin, Mechanical Engineer, Duluth, Minn.: "One box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets has done its work, and I am again gaining flesh and strength."

O. E. Ransom, Hustonville, Ky.: "I was distressed and annoyed for two years with throwing up food, often two or three times a day; had no certainty of retaining a meal if I ate one. Four boxes of the tablets from my druggist, have fully cured me. I find them pleasant to take, convenient to carry."

Rev. G. D. Brown, Mondovi, Wis.: "The effect of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is simply marvellous; a quite hearty dinner of broiled beef steak causes no distress since I began their use."

Over six thousand people in the state of Mich. alone in 1894 were cured of stomach troubles by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Full sized packages may be found at all druggists at 50c., or sent by mail on receipt of price from Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

ARE YOU ABOUT TO MARRY?

If so you will want a

Casoline Stove,
Cook Stove,
Heating Stove,
Boiler,
Tea Kettle,
Iron Kettle,
Granite Kettle,
Spider,
Steamer,
Stew Pan,
Coffee Pot,
Tea Pot,
Drip Pan,
Broiler,
Cake Griddle,
Dipper,
Dust Pan,

And many other things which we will show you.

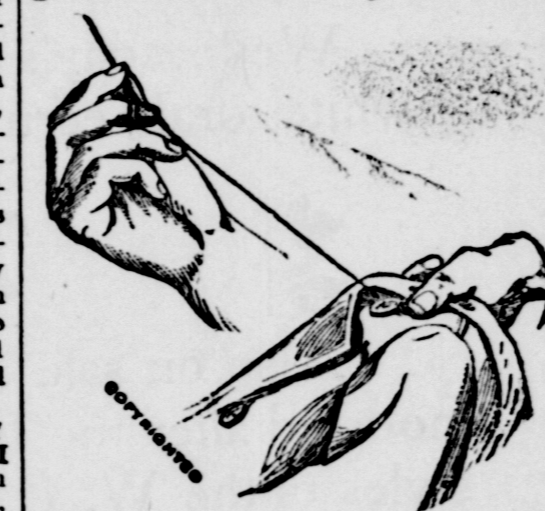


Bread Pans,
Bread Raiser,
Oil Can,
Wringer,
Tub,
Rice Boiler,
Water Pail,
Clothes Line,
Knives and Forks,
Spoons,
Carving Set,
Chop Knife,
Chop Bowl,
Mop Stick,
Slop Pail,
Sad Irons

Remember we are quoting lower prices than any house in Southern Wisconsin.

LOWELL HARDWARE CO.

Many people will recognize this trade mark. The word Carhart has become a household word from coast to coast and from the boundary of the Canada's land to the sunny south. You ask why the name Carhart is so familiar? Because every garment is made by the hand of skilled union labor.



They Are Better Made,
They Wear Better,
They Are Superior

in every way to

any brand made.

The different labor unions of the country endorse Carhart brand goods and the people who are not members of lodges must concede that they are superior in every respect to any garment on the market.

Overalls, Pants, Coats,
Vests, Jumpers,
Jean Suits, Engineer's Jacket,
Bib Overalls.

We are sole agents for Carhart's goods Their pants and overalls leads the world. Give them a trial.

FRANK H. BAACK.

Railroad Time-Tables

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton	7:25 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:55 a.m.	8:25 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Elgin	7:30 a.m.	8:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p.m.	1:55 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere & Elgin	6:40 p.m.	10:25 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	7:50 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	12:40 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Watertown	8:25 p.m.	
Evansville, Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	6:30 a.m.	
Evansville, Madison & Elroy	10:50 a.m.	3:05 p.m.
La Crosse, Winona & St. Paul	10:50 a.m.	3:05 p.m.
Layden, Fellows & Evansville	8:25 p.m.	12:05 a.m.
Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	9:30 p.m.	6:35 a.m.
Evansville, Madison & Elroy	9:30 p.m.	6:35 a.m.
Winona & Dakota	1:30 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
Evansville, Madison & Elroy	7:30 a.m.	
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
*Daily *Sunday only.		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	7:10 p.m.	12:45 p.m.
Milwaukee, Whitefish, Waukesha and Chicago	7:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	10:15 a.m.	5:35 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	9:45 a.m.	5:35 p.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	4:40 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	7:00 p.m.	5:30 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha, and West Freeport, Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan	11:30 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and West Fast Train	6:35 p.m.	9:20 a.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	9:30 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
Point	6:10 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:15 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	8:00 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	10:00 a.m.	
*Sunday only		

MAILS ARRIVE AND CLOSE

JANEVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west	6:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
North and Northwest	7:35 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a.m.	12:00 m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General.	12:40 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points North, except via Madison	3:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
	11:30 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest.	6:00 a.m.	9:00 p.m.
North, Northwest, Etc.	4:30 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, West and South.		7:30 a.m.
STAGE MAILS:		
Johnson Grove and Richmond.	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Emerald Grove and Fairfield.	11:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.

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We charge full rates for cards of thanks, obituary poems, financial statements of insurance companies, and all other classes of items not considered news.

We publish free marriages, deaths, and obituary notices without poetry; also notices of church and society meetings.

We publish at half rates church and society notices of entertainments given for revenue.

LONG-DISTANCE TELEPHONE NO. 77

For business, advertising, etc., call on counting room—two rings.

For news, call the editorial room—three rings.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1663—Cotton Mather, born in Boston.

1746—Thaddeus Kosciuszko, Polish patriot, American soldier and French citizen, born near Novogrod, Lithuania; died 1817.

1791—Peter Cooper, the American philanthropist, born in New York city; died there 1883.

1804—Kant, the philosopher, PETER COOPER, died.

1808—Abraham Lincoln's birthday. Birth of Charles Darwin.

1871—Alice Cary, author, died.

1880—Horatio Seymour, statesman, died in Utica, N. Y.; born 1810.

1891—Admiral David Dixon Porter, distinguished Union commander of the civil war, died in Washington; born 1813.

1894—A blizzard of rain and snow prevailed across the northern belt of states from New England to Nebraska.

Rock County Republican Convention

A Republican County Convention is hereby called at the court house, in the city of Janesville on Friday, March 13, 1896, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention, to be held in Milwaukee, March 18, 1896.

This Rock county convention will elect delegates also to the congressional district convention when called, and transact such other business as proper for this convention.

The different towns and wards of Rock county will be entitled to delegates as follows: Towns of Avon, Beloit, Bradford, Harmony, Janesville, Johnston, La Prairie, Porter, two each; Center, Clinton, Lima, Magnolia, Plymouth, Porter, Turne, Union, Clinton village, Fifth ward of Janesville, three each; Fulton, Newark, Spring Lake, First ward city of Beloit, Edgerton, four each; Second ward city of Beloit, Second and Fourth wards city of Janesville, five each; Evansville, Third and Fourth wards, city of Beloit, six each; First and Third wards city of Janesville, seven each; Milton, eight. By order County Republican Committee. W. T. VANKIRK, Chairman.

Dated Janesville, Feb. 7, 1896.

THE WAR IS OVER.

American firmness carried the day.

There will be no war between Great Britain and the United States but the Monroe doctrine will be regarded.

The speech from the throne and the statements in the house of lords and commons by Lord Salisbury and Mr. Balfour show that England has no desire to carry its Venezuelan claims to the point of war, and that they have practically acceded to the demands of the United States for arbitration.

The government has already assured Minister Bayard that it will place all its evidence in the boundary dispute at the disposal of the United States commission. Assurances were given of the desire to maintain cordial relations between the two countries, and if there ever was any war cloud it has been dissipated on the opening day of the assemblage of parliament.

The London Chronicle in its editorial columns this morning claims the credit for the conversion of England to arbitration, and says: "The speeches in parliament show that we have reached the point where a solution is a certainty. The Schomburgkh line is as defunct as the boundaries of Wessex." The Daily News says in an editorial: "It is not quite clear what Lord Salisbury means by a mixture of arbitration and negotiation. He tried a mixture before when he offered only to arbitrate a part of the boundary dispute. He cannot mean to repeat the dose."

Such comments from representative English papers are significant. Fair-minded Englishmen see the position in which their government was placed and do not seem disposed to let the responsible parties escape without an accounting.

A firm insistence upon the rights of United States citizens does not mean that unlawful acts of Americans should be upheld. Mr. Cleveland declares that Waller was punished lawfully. If that be the case, Waller is faring very well to get out of prison at all. The only reason Americans were concerned in the case was that a fellow-countryman seemed to have been locked up without due process of law, and appeared to be suffering through the neglect of the state department.

Germany has been prominent of late in the field of invention and discovery. To the Roentgen photographic light, gelatine photography in colors and the Zeppelin air ship must be added the Brand rifle, operated by explosive gas, and firing 2,500 shots from one charge. In these times an army with rifles a year old finds itself out of date.

It is probable that the new bonds will soon be worth 120, and as they gain in value, the general financial situation will be steadied, and all kinds of business will be improved.

Isn't there too much parsoning done by governors? Since a board of pardons was established in Ohio the number of pardons granted has been

reduced two thirds. Some of the governors appear to be running a pardon lottery and Wisconsin is to be congratulated on the fact that Governor Upham has not been affected by the craze.

Congressman Hall's assertion that eight senators voted for free silver after having privately expressed the opinion that it meant ruin in case it became a law, would be more interesting if it included the names of such persons; and charges of that sort should not be made unless the accuser is ready to specify the guilty parties.

WHIST TEAMS WILL DO BATTLE.

Janesville Men Ready for Their Encounter With Beloit Experts.

A telephone message stated today that the members of the Beloit Whist Club would be here for tomorrow night's tournament. The Janesville boys are in good "working order" and those who will tackle the Line City boys are:

C. C. McLean, C. L. Fifield,
H. S. Gilkey, V. P. Richardson,
G. M. McKey, C. D. Capelle,
F. A. Capelle, F. E. Fifield,
W. H. Greenman, William Rager,
J. S. Fifield, A. C. Jenkins,
B. B. Eldredge, H. A. Ford,
A. J. Harris, C. L. Valentine.

SHORT NOTES FROM THE Y. M. C. A.

EIGHTEEN men worked with the business men's class in the "gym" yesterday.

In the gymnasium department twenty-one new pairs of Indian clubs were put in position today and forty-four wands.

PREPARATIONS for the Mother Goose social are about completed with the exception of the erecting of the different booths.

FIVE teams of basket ball players will be organized this week and the different captains will be chosen according to their ability.

Worth Reading.

Commencing today we are going to have a series of sales on different lines of shoes. We start today by offering No. 1 and 2 of this series in the shape of cork sole shoes for gentlemen.

No. 1 is a genuine hand sewed, calf lined, cork sole shoe. The regular price of this shoe is \$5.00. They go for \$3.50. No. 2 of the series is a calf skin shoe made with cork sole, worth \$3.50. They go for \$2.50. Gentlemen, do you think you can afford to miss such opportunities? A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Many Lumber Men in Town

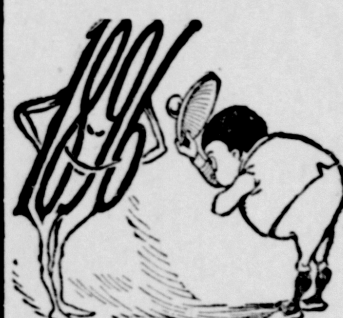
Many lumber men were in town today. Among those who were here were H. C. Wickwire of Milwaukee; W. E. James, Wausau; W. H. Collins, Wausau; F. T. Hogan, Minneapolis; and F. H. Pardoe, Wausau.

Towel Sale.

Tomorrow we offer fifty dozen towels in beautiful damask and huck patterns in drawn, hemmed and fringed ends at 17 cents. None worth less than 25 cents. Many worth 30 and 35 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THINK OF IT.—A full calf lined, hand sewed cork sole shoe for \$3.50. Every pair worth \$5.00. You can't afford to buy old shoes when you can buy new stylish shoes at such prices. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

You will make no mistake if you buy a pair of \$4.00 cork sole shoes for \$3.50. A. Richardson Shoe Co.



SURVIVAL
OF
THE
FITTEST..

We bow down to 1896.—
Indications are that it will be—
A more prosperous year than the last.—
We hope so and to that end are we—
Looking; and to start it right we—
Will sell all of our winter goods—
Such as Gloves, Mittens, Caps—
Underwear and Hosiery at or—
Nearly Cost. Look in our window—
And on the prices of a few things.—
We will also give you extremely—
Low prices on suits and—
Overcoatings until March 1st.



PRICES
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155 West Milwaukee St.

Fred Feltz,
The Practical Tailor.

THE VERY
Latest Patterns

in imported and domestic
fabrics now on hand.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP

Satisfaction guaranteed in
Style, Prices and Finish.

FRED FELTZ,

Continued tomorrow (Thursday) our regular

: : February Sale of CORSETS.

Women are wise who will anticipate their wants for the coming season.

THE LINES:

Downs P. N. Waist---Chicago.
Down Self Adjusting Corset.
Dr. Warner's A. A. A.
Dr. Warner's Four in Hand.
The "C. B." A La Sprite.
Thompson's Glove Fitting.
Brewster's "B."
Newman's P. N.---long waist.
Newman's P. N.---high bust.
The W. B., in three styles.



EXTREMELY LONG WAIST.

Wednesday's price for all these lines, sizes 18 to 30, in white, drab, ecru and black.

79 cents.

Also on sale for this day all sizes in a stripe Corset modeled after the French shapes, at 39 cents; and about ten styles of the W. C. C. Corset ranging from grades which will be sold at the same price as the first named line, 79 cents, up to the finest they produce, all at prices below what they are sold by the jobbers.

ARCHIE REID & CO.



BULL DOG FOR SALE!

Will Eat Anything--Fond of Children.



We have in mind just such a chance to buy a pup.

Notice

We are not in the dog trade; we are selling

Shoes and Rubbers

Fake sales,
Cost sales,
Below cost sales,
All kinds of sales

Knocked Gally West!

Put these prices in your pipe.

KNOCKED DOWN!

Men's extra heavy Rubbers, Fake sale price, 75c; go at.....	60c	Ladies' extra Storm Rubbers, Cost sale price, 50c; go at.....	43c
Men's extra quality Arctics, Go at.....	95c	Misses' heavy Rubbers, Cost sale price, 35c; we sell at.....	23c
Ladies' extra wearing Rubbers, Sold at cost sales at 45c; go at.....	33c	Children's heavy Rubbers, Cost sale price, 30c; go at.....	23c

Felt Boots, German Socks and every article of Warm Goods included in the sacrifice.

BROWN BROTHERS & LINCOLN.

BUY NEW CLOTHES OR LOSE YOUR JOB

C. & N. W. WANTS TRAINMEN
TO DRESS BETTER.

Regulation Suits Prescribed, All to Be of the Same Material—Shipments of Tobacco and Hoses Add to Janesville Freight Business—No Snow Blockades.

The Chicago & Northwestern has just issued an order to passenger conductors and brakemen compelling them to buy new uniforms at once, from a specified Chicago firm of clothiers. The uniforms must be of a prescribed pattern and cloth, the conductors having four-button coats and five-button vests, the brakemen five-button coats and seven-button vests. The suits come in two grades and cost \$17.75 and \$19.75 apiece.

Depot men in the Chicago, Milwaukee and other city depots are ordered to wear red caps hereafter.

General Manager Hughitt and Superintendent Sanborn came through last night on a special car on their way to Winona.

Passenger trains all arrived on time today, in spite of the snow.

"The wind was so strong and the snow so light that the drifts were scattered as fast as they formed," said an engineer today.

Tobacco shipments are beginning to swell the Janesville freight business.

Horse buyers are sending out stock in carload lots. One car of horses bought by Dillingham & Watson for the eastern market included horses worth as high as \$125, an unusual figure for a horse buyer to give this season. The prices ranged from \$125 down to \$50 and all the horses were stylish, fine looking drivers. Some could show miles in three minutes on almost any sort of road.

MASTODON SEASON IS CLOSED

Second Minstrel Performance Received With Many Marks of Appreciation

Home Mastodon minstrels were even more successful last night than at their first performance. There was the added finish and swing that might be expected of a second performance. William Garbutt sang one of his own compositions "The Night Before the Ball" very effectively and Charles S. Putnam was called on for a turn. Harry P. Robinson's "Bedouin Love Song" with its plaintive accompaniment was received with evidence of strong favor. George G. Paris was in excellent voice and sang "Asthore" in a way to win loud applause.

The performance as a whole was very well received although the audience was not as large as had been hoped by friends of Janesville minstrelsy.

WELCH-COLLINS WEDDING TONIGHT

Ceremony Will Take Place at Dean E. M. McGinnity's Residence.

Thomas E. Welch and Miss Bertha L. Collins will be married this evening at 7 o'clock at Dean McGinnity's residence, by the Rev. J. J. Collins. After the ceremony they will be tendered a reception at the Washington street home of the bride's parents. They will make their home at 202 Cherry street.

Skelly-Lewis.

Miss Kittie Lewis and Martin Skelly, both of the town of Rock, were married at St. Patrick's church this morning at 8 o'clock.

We're After You For a Few Days.

A few prices for cash.
Pure Gold flour, per sack..... 90c
Northern Dairy butter, per lb..... 17c
Best oatmeal, 12 lbs..... 25c
4 lbs, best lard..... 25c
1 lb, best baking powder equal to Dr. Price's or Royal..... 15c
Very best canned salmon, 2 cans for..... 25c
4 cans sugar corn..... 25c
Good table syrup, per gallon..... 15c
Armour's picnic hams, per lb..... 07c
3 1/2 lbs. very best dried peaches..... 25c
Fancy 300 size lemons, per doz..... 15c
Corn meal, per sack..... 15c
Graham per sack..... 15c
Buckwheat, per sack..... 20c
One-half pint bottle best catsup 7 cents; 4 bottles for..... 25c
1 pound can Dr. Price's Baking powder (1 lb. can 20c)..... 40c
1750 best matches..... 15c
2 pound can blackberries..... 8c
Bullock's full cream cheese per lb. 12 1/2
3 1/2 lbs. best California prunes..... 25c
Always 6 cans sardines..... 25c
These prices for cash only and will last only a few days. Nolan Bros. Telephone 172. Next Grand Hotel.

Our Special Towel Sale.

We have fifty dozen of large size damask and huck towels in beautiful patterns of fine heavy qualities, some of them worth 25 cents, some 30 cents and some 35 cents. Any of the lot will go at the special sale for 17 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Free Reading Matter Coupons.

The following firms will give 5 per cent in cash on all cash purchases made by holders of the F. R. M. coupons. Get hard cash with each purchase and buy your own reading matter.

T. J. Ziegler.
King & Skelly.
Prentice & Evenson,
W. T. Sherer & Co.,
E. B. Helmstreet,
E. O. Smith & Co.,
George King & Co.,
Janesville Steam Laundry,
J. D. Minor,
J. R. Holmes,
Stearns & Baker.
Rich & Davis.

ECHOES OF THE DAY IN TOWN

LELAND T. POWERS tonight.

BEER arrived in car load lots today
LIGHT Infantry entertainment Monday night.

SMITH's orchestra play at Stoughton this evening.

HAMLIN's Wizard Oil at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy.

Miles' celebrated Nervine at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy.

COTTON has arrived of late in car load lots for the local mills.

HEAR Leland T. Powers at the Congregational church tonight.

Mens' Arctics for 95 cents at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's rubber sale.

TAKE away any shoe we carry, at \$1.75 a pair. F. S. Winslow.

WHIPS go at cost at the Old Annex, a fine line too. F. S. Winslow.

YUBA Circle, No. 3, Golden Band conundrum social tomorrow night.

Two cars of tobacco left the St. Paul yards last evening for the east.

THE Janesville Coal Company have improved their office by a new addition.

A PARTY of Janesville Syrians visited Madison today on a peddling expedition.

ARCHIE REID & Co. continue the special corset sale tomorrow, Thursday.

Foot prints in the softly falling snow lead to Brown Bros. & Lincoln's rubber sale.

Two dollars and a half for choice of any shoe, is a grand success at Minor's on the bridge.

JANESVILLE will have a big race meet this summer but no definite date has yet been set.

A NUMBER from this city expect to attend a masquerade at Fort Atkinson, Friday evening.

A LARGE stock of men's and women's shoes at \$1.75 a pair, all late styles. F. S. Winslow.

J. L. and M. F. Greene were loading three cars of tobacco today for shipment to the east.

The sale of any shoe for \$2.50 will be continued all the present week at Minor's on the bridge.

W. B. KNIGHT has closed his printing office on West Milwaukee street and will move to Florida.

DON'T fail to see what the boys do at Camp Douglas, Light Infantry Army Monday evening.

ONLY fifty dozen of those towels remember at 17 cents each. After they are gone the sale is ended.

ANY shoe in the house including Marzluft's or Richardson's or Norcross's at \$1.75 a pair. F. S. Winslow.

J. C. CHADWICK's valuable colt, "Vansant" is now quartered at the McKinney stables in this city.

THE New Gas Light company are figuring on a number of extensions which they will make in the spring.

A MAP of Rock County free with every 50 cent package of Sloan's Condition Powders at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy.

TENTS will be pitched and camp law observed at Light Infantry army Monday night. Visit the Camp Douglas show.

Nobody could complain of having a dull time at the Concordia social last evening. There was a full attendance.

LOTS No. 239 and 242 are still being sold at \$1.50 a pair. They are the finest of imported slippers. Becker & Woodruff.

THE doctors have held another meeting and their line of mutual protection is slowly but surely growing stronger.

INVITATIONS have been issued by Mrs. B. B. Eldredge for a 6 o'clock tea, to be given at her Park Place residence Thursday.

DIRECTOR KRESLER's figures on class work at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last week show that there was a total attendance of 393.

THERE has been an average of a dance every night during the last two weeks, and the next two weeks show but little falling off.

THE special sale of corsets as advertised for today will on account of the weather be continued tomorrow. Archie Reid & Co.

EVERY shoe be they men or women's in our stock is high grade, you make no error in buying and especially as the prices have simply been cut to pieces. Becker & Woodruff.

PROF W. A. SCOTT, who was to have begun a course of University Extension lectures here next Monday has been compelled to ask for a postponement on account of the illness of his wife.

FOR SALE—My entire stock of boots, shoes, rubbers and the business is for sale at a bargain. Only small capital is needed to continue a paying business. Good reason for my going out. Minor on the bridge.

THE Earnest Ten Sewing Circle, of the Baptist church, entertained about forty friends at the home of Mrs. Edwin F. Kelly, 303 Holmes street. Refreshments were daintily served and a musical and literary program rendered.

THE closing entertainment in the People's Lecture Course comes tonight, when Mr. Leland T. Powers will appear in "Lord Chumley." All who were fortunate enough to hear Mr. Powers when he was here two years ago, will be on hand early tonight.

THOSE imported slippers of lot No. 239, imported cardinal satin slippers, \$1.50 a pair and lot No. 242, imported blue satin slippers at the same price are to be seen in our window. They are of great value at those figures, better improve the opportunity. Becker & Woodruff.

HORSE TRADE CAN'T BE DECLARED VOID

JUDGE PHELPS REFUSES TO INTERFERE.

The Man Who Goes Into a Horse Trade, it is Presumed Must Look Out For His Own Interests if Any body is to Look Out For Them.

Any mistake that W. H. Eldredge made in trading horses with H. C. Wilford must stand uncorrected as far as the municipal court is concerned.

Mr. Eldredge traded a team of colts for a mare about eighteen months ago. The mare wasn't as good as he expected and he sued for damages.

A horse expert who was put on the stand weakened in his arithmetic under Attorney C. C. Russell's examination.

"What were the colts worth?" he was asked.

"Eighty-five dollars."

"The older one was worth about what?"

"Forty dollars."

"And the younger one?"

A pause.

"Now what was that younger colt worth?"

"About thirty-five, of course."

The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

DON'T fail to see the queen eating bread and honey at the Y. M. C. A. Friday night.

CAN you sell a good article? There is money in it for you. Call at Holt House at once.

WE have a full line of good rubbers and articles and will make you the lowest prices on same. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

THE time to buy shoes is now, the place is at the old Annex. Every pair at less than you can buy elsewhere. F. S. Winslow.

LADIES extra quality storm rubbers are sold by Brown Bros. & Lincoln's for 43 cents. Why not save 12 cents next time you want a pair.

WE are selling 12 pounds of the best oatmeal made for 25 cents instead of 17 cents, as stated in the Gazette a few nights ago. Nolan Bros.

BETTER secure your tickets for the Concordia masquerade in advance. They can be found at King & Skelly's, Charles Wisch's, or Smith's pharmacy.

WHILE I am here this week waiting for people to call for repair work left with me, I shall be able to quote some very good prices on pianos. H. F. Nott.

FIFTY men watched Sam Brown prove his skill as a "broncho buster" at Joe Heald's stables today. He won the day although saddles, bridles and girths suffered.

"DEAD earnestness, plain figures, plain statements, perpetual change of copy," are declared by John Wannamaker to be the essentials of successful advertising.

DID you ever hear of such a thing, a calf skin shoe, cork sole, for \$2.50? We offer you a regular \$3.50 shoe for that price. There is no excuse for cold or wet feet. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE conundrum social of Yuba Circle No. 3, Golden Band takes place at Odd Fellows hall Thursday, that's tomorrow night. You will have a most excellent time if you go.

WE want to close out all of our winter goods. That is why we are making such extremely low prices on cork sole shoes. That tells the story and shows their styles. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE best makes of shoes such as Laird, Shober & Mitchell, John Foster of Beloit, Lounsbury & Matheson are included in our stock. They go at immediate closing out prices. Becker & Woodruff.

THE annual masquerades given by the Concordia society are always the most enjoyable of any during the season. Everyone goes with the expectation of having a good time and they have it. Don't forget the date, Feb. 18.

A Pretty Suite of Offices.

Dr. R. W. Edden has just completed the refitting of his offices at 55 West Milwaukee street. The changes he has made give him one of the handsomest suites of offices in the city.

Not only are they handsome but also very convenient and pleasant. He has just added a ladies' waiting room and prescription room, making him in all four rooms. His reception room is large and pleasant; off that is the operating room, which has excellent light. The doctor, it might be mentioned, has equipped his surgery fully with the latest appliances and instruments for operative work.

The offices have lately been decorated and re-fitted and the doctor has had incandescent burners distributed throughout them. A very convenient thing about the rooms is the fact that it is unnecessary to go through the suite to get into the hall, as each room has an outside door.

An increase in office room has been made necessary by Dr. Edden's growing practice. He has taken great interest in hospital work and is at present secretary of the Palmer Memorial Hospital. His department at that institution is orthopedic surgery.

In his five years practice in the city Doctor Edden has built up an enviable reputation as both physician and surgeon and his scores of friends wish him the same success in the future as he has attained in the past.

THE FOLKS WHO COME AND GO

ARCHIE CRAWFORD visited Monroe today.

WALLACE COCHRANE visited Milton today on business.

B. F. DUNWIDDIE transacted legal business at Monroe today.

W. J. WEISS of Red Wing transacted business in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jackson spent the day with Madison friends.

ALDERMAN S. B. HEDDLES was looking after tobacco today at Orford.

DR. Q. O. SUTHERLAND returned this morning from a visit to Darlington.

G. A. METCALF was in the city today greeting his numerous friends.

E. C. BURDICK is now in Iowa on business, and is expected home Friday.

Mrs. V. P. RICHARDSON is confined to her Sinclair street home with the grip.

THOMAS H. EUSTACE, of Rockford was transacting business in the city today.

H. L. SKAVLEM and Ed. Spalding left for Koshkonong today for a week's stay.

L. F. SPANGENBERG of Watertown, investigated the Y. M. C. A. building today.

MR. and Mrs. Sherman Phelps left this noon for a visit with their son at Dixon, Ill.

R. F. HAYES, representing a Minneapolis milling firm, was among the grocers today.

MISS ANNA WELCH, of Elkhorn, is the guest of Miss Gertrude Harper, of Milwaukee avenue.

Mrs. MARSH of Whitewater, is visiting in the city the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Q. O. Sutherland.

W. H. JONES was in Chicago yesterday in the interest of the Janesville Woolen Mill.

THOMAS F. MCKEY formerly of this city has removed his dental parlors from Whitewater to Chicago.

WILL DAVIS has returned from the Chicago horse sale and brought with him three handsome blacks.

M. BANNERBERG of Philadelphia, has been investigating the tobacco market in this city and vicinity this week.

MANAGER E. W. SCHULTZ, of the Hall furniture factory, returned this morning from a trip to Watertown.

Mrs. E. D. MILLER and daughter returned home last evening after an extended visit with Chicago friends.

G. JENU and daughter, Miss Agnes, of Rutland, are the guests of Landlord and Mrs. L. C. Brewer, of the Park House.

DR. E. D. ROBERTS the veterinary surgeon was called to Madison yesterday to attend some dentistry work upon Philip Fox's horses.

GEORGE LUTTER, W. Powers, Eugene West and Thomas Kitchen of Darlington, were in the city today, being on their way to Alabama.

THOMAS WHITE, of Milwaukee, is in Janesville for a few days, looking after business affairs. Mr. White was interested formerly in the Eagle Box company.

HE FELL FROM CELLAR STAIRS

L. D. Prichard Badly Hurt in Consequence of a Mistake—Shoulder Dislocated.

L. D. Prichard accidentally fell down the cellar stairs at his South Jackson street home, cutting a gash on his head and dislocating his shoulder. Mr. Prichard was about to descend the stairs. It being dark, he lost his footing and fell headlong to the cellar floor, striking upon his head and shoulders. Mr. Prichard is employed at the Janesville Machine Company's plant. The accident, although not dangerous, is a painful one.

DEATH ENDS EARTHLY WOES

Funeral of Mrs. Mary B. Smith.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary B. Smith was held today. Many of the older residents of the city and county gathered at the Forest Park home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Smith in spite of the inclement weather, to pay a tribute of sorrow to the memory of one they had known and esteemed.

Rev. Dr. Hodge conducted the funeral services and drew lessons for the living from his intimate knowledge of Mrs. Smith's christian earnestness. The burial was at Oak Hill, those who acted as pall bearers being Judge L. F. Patten, Captain Pliny Norcross, I. C. Brownell, J. L. Ford, Washington Kelly and W. T. Vankirk.

Mrs. Mary A. Mulligan.

Mrs. Mary A. Mulligan, wife of James Mulligan, died of pneumonia at 6 o'clock last night. She was forty-three years old. Beside her husband six children are left to mourn. She was a member of St. Mary's church and had many friends. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 10 o'clock from St. Mary's church, Rev. E. J. Roche officiating.

Funeral of Mary L. Hagney.

The funeral of Mary Loretta Hagney was held from St. Mary's church this morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Father Roche officiated and the interment was in Mount Olivet cemetery.

Charles Hall.

Charles Hall, son of Colonel George Hall, of Evansville, died of heart disease in Texas, this morning. His father started for the west on receipt of a telegram.

Hustling Salesman Wanted.

Greatest seller, largest profit; \$75 to \$200 per month made. Call at Holt House. Hustler.

R. B. POWELL,

DENTIST,

Over Mrs. Woodstock's millinery store.

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IT'S A HARD WINTER FOR POOR PEOPLE

CASES OF DESTITUTION REPORTED TODAY.

Widow and Seven Children Suffering From Cold and Another Poor Woman With Two Children Live Three Days on a Little Bread and Syrup.

City Missionary Mary Kimball was appealed to today on all sides from the poor for help. A widow on Western avenue with seven half-frozen children was supplied with wood, while a River street family was also relieved. A widow with two children who resides on North Franklin street was relieved by a much needed supply of food.

"We have lived three days on a pint of syrup and a loaf of bread" she declared to Miss Kimball.

This might have been a good year for Janesville people to have given a charity ball.

WOODMEN WILL WAIT A BIT

Permanent Quarters Will Not Be Chosen Until Early in April

One hundred members of the Modern Woodmen held a meeting last evening at their hall. The report of the committee on rooms was made, favoring Columbia hall, but it was decided to make no change until April.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

After examining samples of the leading brands of baking powder I have arrived at the conclusion that the Royal is superior in purity, leavening power, and keeping qualities. It is a cream of tartar powder, entirely free from alum, iron, arsenic, and all deleterious ingredients. GEORGE S. COX, Wisconsin State Chemist.

Crescent Wheels

are so light, so rigid and so easy running that the most delicately built woman can ride them with but little effort.

Prices \$75, \$50, \$40.

Call and See Them.

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Safe and Piano Moving given special attention. Orders left at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy. Telephone 202 will receive prompt attention.

EUGENE T. FISH,

Down She Goes

Johnson's Oriental Medicinal Soap.

equal to Cuticura soap.

General retail price, 25 cents. To close out we have put the price down to

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Clear your voice in a minute. See the Home Mastodon Minstrels in our window.

SMITH'S PHARMACY.

WE LEAD; OTHERS FOLLOW.

On and after Feb. 1, '96, and until further notice we will sell:

FOR CASH ONLY

	COAL.	PER TON.
Pea Coal	-	\$4 50
No. 2 Nut	-	5.50

	WOOD.	PER CORD
Culled Oak	-	\$3.00
Body Oak	-	3.50
Second Growth Oak	-	4.00
Culled Maple	-	4.00
Selected Maple	-	5.00
Green Maple	-	5.50

A Labor Saver.

"Do you believe in mind reading, Mr. Slowboy?"

"Why, I don't know, Miss Tryem. I never thought much about it."

"Well, I do. I believe that I could read exactly what you have now in your mind, if I—"

"I—I wish you would," eagerly exclaimed Mr. Slowboy, who had been wondering how he could propose successfully to her. "It'd save me a heap of trouble."—Harper's Bazar.

Not Longer Exclusive.

"Really," said Mrs. De Porque, "it's very distressing to see how common things are getting."

"Yes," replied her husband; "luxuries are a good deal cheaper than they were."

"It's positively shameful. Why, it's getting so that anybody can afford a diamond-robbery nowadays."—Washington Star.

His Weather Report.

Though she is like a sunbeam, As happy and as free, It seems to be her pleasure To always reign o'er me.

—Puck.

AN EYE TO BUSINESS.



He (who has been standing for a figure in the landscape)—Yes, very good; but you haven't made it much like me.

She—Well, you see, I want to sell it.

—Idler.

Well Up in His Business.

"Who is that extraordinarily tall man?" asked the visitor, who had never been in a department store before.

"That's the floor walker," replied the friend that had undertaken the task of showing him about town.

"The floor walker?" exclaimed the other. "He looks more like a ceiling scraper."—Chicago Tribune.

His Unbiased Opinion.

"Now, professor," said the ambitious young man, "you have tried my voice, I want you to tell me frankly what it is best adapted to."

And without a moment's hesitation the eminent musician responded: "Whispering."—Odds and Ends.

One at a Time.

Oh, the man who may feel quite as proud as a king, While he works his way up to the top, When his necktie endeavors the very same thing Will try to induce it to stop.

—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Why, Certainly.

Jeanne—That handsome, impudent fellow staring at us ought to be horse-whipped.

Marie—What for?

Jeanne—Why, for not speaking, of course.—N. Y. World.

Papa Was That Kind.

Van Puff—What I want in life is somebody to elevate me, don't you know?

Lollita—Well, I think if papa finds you here when he comes he will do it.—N. Y. Recorder.

Ethics of the Rail.

"That man over there must be riding on a pass?"

"Why do you think so?"

"He's stretched out in one seat with his foot on another one."—Chicago Record.

Love and Duty.

He—Your father advises me to invest my fortune in Wall street. It would be politic, I suppose.

She—No, don't you do it! After he had won all your money he'd never let us marry.—Life.

For Love of Her.

Miss Vera Waite—Fred says he thinks of me constantly.

Miss Ava Dupoise—Poor fellow! I noticed that he looked as though he had a heavy weight on his mind.—Brooklyn Life.

That New Remedy.

"I've had my dyspepsia cured by this new vibration fad."

"So?"

"Yes; my girl gave me the shake and I got so mad I've felt all right ever since."—Chicago Record.

Their First Freedom.

Mrs. Oldstyle—You people are always talking about freedom for women. What is it you want to be freed from?

Mrs. Emancipus—Well, men, to start with.—Brooklyn Life.

Benham for Instance.

Mrs. Benham—Do you know, dearest, it has been said that "man is a ray of Heaven united to a clod of earth?"

Mr. Benham—Yes, I know it; but that only applies to married men.—To Date.

Good for Others.

Edith—What do you think of patience?

Ethel—A good deal like castor oil—excellent to recommend to other people.—Town Topics.

He Wanted to See.

"Freddie, why did you drop the baby on the floor?"

"Well, I heard everybody say it is a bouncing baby and I wanted to see it bounce."—Truth.

A Mistake.

The man who never rides a wheel About the busy mart Is not the proper one, we feel, To drive a sprinkling cart.

—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Warren Hastings' Law Expenses.

Hastings was in his sixty-third year when he was acquitted, after a trial which lasted seven years. His costs amounted to £100,000, which seems a pretty heavy lawyer's bill—it is at the rate of over £14,000 a year—though, no doubt, heavy expenses were contracted before the trial began in the preparation of evidence. The printed brief delivered to counsel for the defense extended to 24 folio volumes, and Law's retainer was 500 guineas. Hastings memorialized the house of commons to grant him compensation, but Pitt, to whom the petition was sent, refused, in a curt note, to submit it to the sovereign, though he did not hesitate, as chancellor of the exchequer, to debit the country with the enormous costs of the prosecution. But the court of directors of the East India company behaved very well. They resolved to grant Hastings a sum of £71,080 as an indemnification for his costs and an annuity of £5,000 for life.

It will hardly be believed that the board of control, of which Dundas was the head, refused to sanction these proposals, as excessive, and ultimately Hastings received from the directors £50,000 down and £4,000 a year for life. We presume that he settled his bill of costs for 10s. in the pound, and his three counsel, Law, Plumer and Dallas, might well have foregone some of their fees, for the trial brought them so much reputation that they all attained to the highest posts on the bench.—Saturday Review.

Marble Making.

The example furnished by nature in the production of marble from chalk by water, the latter percolating gradually and steadily through the chalky deposits, dissolving the chalk particle by particle and crystallizing it, mountain pressure effecting its characteristic solidity, it is now found may be the basis of accomplishing similar results by a resort to chemical processes. Slices of chalk are for this purpose dipped into a color bath, staining them with tints that will imitate any kind of marble known, the same mineral stains answering this end as are employed in nature. For instance, to produce the appearance of the well known and popular verde antique an oxide of copper application is resorted to, and in a similar manner green, pink, black and other colorings are obtained. The slices after this are placed in another bath, where they are hardened and crystallized, coming out to all intents and purposes real marble.—London Decorators' Gazette.

The Old Familiar Greeting.

At a recent seance in this city the spirit of the wife of a well known citizen appeared, and he involuntarily exclaimed, "I haven't got a cent."—Los Angeles Express.

Our STAR Circus Is Coming!

Continuous performance. Don't let the children miss it. Clowns, acrobats and performing animals. Naturally colored, on cardboard. Will stand alone. Sent postpaid to any address on receipt of **SIX CENTS** in stamps. Amuses the children, and makes the mother acquainted with **WILLIMANTIC STAR THREAD.**

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In Janesville it is sold by all druggists. If your druggist does not keep it go to Geo. E. King & Co.; they have a large stock. It is sold in packages at 25c, 5 for \$1.00; is also sent post paid on receipt of price. Prepared by **H. H. HACKENDAHL, Milwaukee, Wis.**



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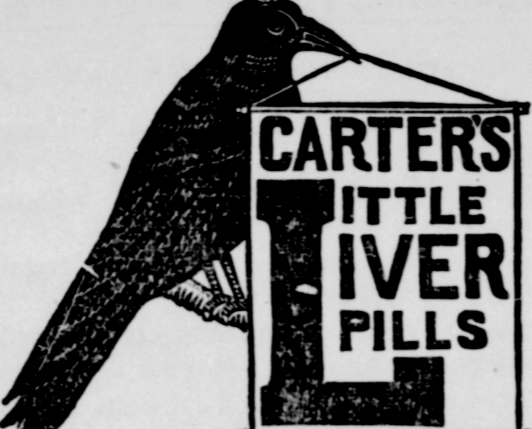
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FOR SALE.—My house, barn and four full lots on Hickory street, just off Fourth Avenue. I will sell at very reasonable figure. A beautiful home for some one.

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Coupon books may be had at our office—PALMER & BONESTEEL'S drug store.

Good 200 Acre Farm

To be rented for three years, one mile from station; good stock farm.

Money to Loan

on real estate, quantities to suit. C. S. CLELAND—Phone Block.

T. J. Zeigler.

Winter months are almost over with and spring will be the most welcome season to most people of any of the year. We are preparing in a measure for spring. It's time now to investigate and buy beautiful new Negligee Shirts and Spring Hats.

Just Received:

Latest spring styles Negligee Shirts,

We have just received an elegant line of soft-bosom Negligee Shirts with starched collars and cuffs detached, also those with the new style standing high collar attached.

Also

A nobby lot of soft and stiff Hats in the new blocks...

Early spring buyers can find the very latest shapes and patterns in the line of soft and stiff Hats we have just received. The lot includes Fedoras in all shapes, styles and shades and the correct shapes in soft Hats of all kinds. Also the nobbiest and latest blocks of Derbies.

If you wish to get an idea of what is to be worn the coming season see our new arrivals.

It is not necessary for you to buy if you do not feel so disposed. We are always glad to talk with you.

T. J. ZEIGLER.

DEAD.

She died last night: (How deep the snows of May
Bloom on the thickets there.) See how her face,
Is blantly turned against the light. (The grace
Of spring comes new—as it was yesterday
And ever shall be.) They have put away
Her hands beneath the sheets. (How green
the place.
See through the leaves white butterflies that
chase
Each other in the sun.) Oh, poor dead clay!
The mouth is silent and the eyes are blind!
(But how the young leaves in the sun and
shade
Do tremble with the faint, delicious wind!)
Her life is ended, and her grave is made,
And is this all that death can leave behind?
Good Lord deliver me! I am afraid!
—New York Tribune.

A NEW WOMAN.

There had been whist that evening at the club and, incidentally, there had been champagne. There were cigars and conversation. The meeting had been a thorough success, so in consequence the members of the Columbian were in high feather.

The club was only a year old, and each new success meant another weight thrown on the side of popularity and permanence.

So the conversation had in it some of the spirit of the lively young men.

"By Jove," said Morris Habberton, "this is what I call real joy of life. A fellow attends to his business during the day and feels that he deserves a rest at night. So he hies him to his club, where there are cards, cigars, congenial fellows and a harmless glass."

"Nothing like it," said old Hobbs, who was gray as to the fringes of his bald pate, but had left the bachelors' because, as he explained it, "the fellows were getting old and grumpy."

"There's always a glow about the very appearance of the club entrance to me," said Habberton.

"Oh, we know that's champagne talking, but the vintage seems to have the knack of uttering truth tonight."

This was Lewis Mortimer's contribution to the general talk.

"Vintage be hanged!" exclaimed the first speaker, turning on him in mock fury.

But old Hobbs interrupted him with, "Don't hang the vintage now, my dear boy, and don't, on your life, underrate its power and influence."

"I don't, but my words are the words of sane and sober truth. I say and maintain and I reiterate that there are a warmth and a genial glow about the very entrance to these rooms."

"He waxeth oratorical," mocked Mortimer.

"Contrast," went on Habberton, without deigning to notice the interruption, "this home coming with the home coming of a fellow who is married to a woman."

"Or one of these new women," from Hensington, who had not before joined in the conversation.

"Ah, now you are talking sense," said old Hobbs, rubbing his hands gleefully. "It is the advent of the new woman that is keeping so many innocent, eligible and worthy men from matrimony."

"How do you know?" interrupted Mortimer, with especial stress on the "you."

Some one threw an almanac at him, and old Hobbs remarked that he hated "weak attempts at sarcasm."

Reginald Vertress was a known and reputed ladies' man, so nobody paid much attention when he observed, rather tentatively: "Oh, I haven't much faith in all this talk about the new woman, anyway. If you'd believe me, she's only the same dear creature with the addition of a bicycle, big sleeves and a membership ticket in the V. G. P. U."

"Well, whatever may be said," went on Habberton—he had drunk considerable champagne—"the new woman is a painful reality. We hate to admit her presence, but she is here, though we hope not to stay."

"Pray forbear," exclaimed the irrepressible Mortimer. "Who knows but some of our number have formed 'entangling alliances' with new women who make political speeches and head petitioning conventions?"

"May gracious heaven forbid!" responded Habberton, in such a tone of mock tragedy that the whole company burst into peals of rollicking laughter. There was one young man who had not joined in the conversation and who did not join in the laugh.

This was Tom Agnew. He sat smoking in an obscure corner, and his face flushed at the last words of Habberton Mortimer and the laugh which greeted them. As soon as convenience would allow he rose and slipped away.

In his mind a strange fight was taking place between resentment, love and fear of ridicule.

He felt that in Lewis Mortimer's last remarks there had been a veiled allusion to himself, though his engagement to Helen Clayburn was supposed to be a secret.

Helen he knew to be a leader in the work of women, and he grew angry with himself, with her and with his companions when he thought that she might be included in the category of new women.

A man is not always reasonable after champagne and a losing game of whist. So in his unreason Tom Agnew wrote a letter that night which in his saner moments he would not have been guilty of penning.

And the next morning Helen Clayburn received it just as she was going out to attend a meeting of the Kindergarten association.

"Why, it's a letter from Tom," she said. "I wonder if he is in haste to go away, that he writes." And she tore it open. It was not very long and as she read it she grew white and trembled a little. But Helen Clayburn was a very sensible girl. She handed the letter to her mother, saying:

"Something has gone wrong to vex Tom. He should have come to me instead of writing. I will wait for him to come to his senses."

She read a paper that morning before

the association and the ladies said of it: "The paper was excellent, but don't you think its value was much added to by her manner of reading? It was read with such spirit."

When she came home from the association, Helen Clayburn read Tom Agnew's letter again and cried a little as she laid it down.

"He 'can't become the laughing stock of men by marrying a girl whose actions place her unmistakably in the ranks of that very undesirable creature, the new woman.' Who has been talking to him, and what have I done except take an interest in what should engage the attention of every true woman? Tom, Tom, I love you, but you must—you must come to yourself."

And she did not answer the letter.

Three weeks passed and Tom Agnew grew uneasy. Why had Helen not written? He had expected a letter from her before this. He hoped he had said nothing which she might construe into a desire on his part to break their engagement. He had not meant to go so far as that.

He was at the club one night again, and in the meantime an election had taken place.

There were only cigars on this night. There had been no whist, no champagne.

"It is wonderful what a triumph we have in electing pure and worthy men to take charge of our school interests," said Morris Habberton seriously.

"Yes, we," sneered Lewis Mortimer. "Betsey and I, we killed a bear, didn't we? What are you talking about? It was the women who did it. They worked before election—and then went up to the polls like—ahem—men."

"Well, I have no objection to that. I don't want to rob them of their credit. All honor to the women who rid us of boodlers and incompetents."

"They acted nobly," chimed in old Hobbs, "but much was due to the splendid leadership and wonderful genius for organization of that Miss Clayburn. She is indeed a great girl. You know her, Agnew, don't you?"

"Ah, yes, yes, of course," stammered Tom.

"Well, we'll expect you to see that she is one of the patronesses on 'ladies' day.'"

As soon as Tom could get out he hurried away, mentally kicking himself for a weak fool.

And he called himself by no milder name when he found Helen Clayburn at home a half hour later. He explained it all to her, not for a moment sparing himself.

"I said that something had happened to vex you," said Helen, "but, oh, Tom, I knew you would come to your senses. But aren't you afraid of me as a new woman? Just think, Tom, I've been elected president of the Woman's Social Purity club and won the annual medal for the best muffins at the cooking school. Isn't that ominous?"

There was a look in her eyes and a half humorous little tremor in her voice that made him clasp her in his arms as he said:

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Excursion Rates to New Orleans and Mobile.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County in Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of September, A. D. 1896, being September 2, 1896, at 9 o'clock, a. m. the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Benjamin Ward, late of the city of Janesville, in said county deceased; All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 21st day of July, A. D. 1896, or be barred.—Dated January 21st, 1896.
By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said County, on the first Tuesday, being the third day of March, 1896, at 9 o'clock, a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:
The application of M. M. Phelps, for the adjustment and allowance of his account as administrator of the estate of Fannie Page, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as are by law and the will entitled thereto.—Dated January 27th, 1896.
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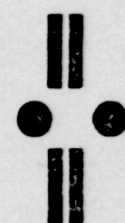
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